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Art Unit 1745

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- (1) Letter
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**LETTER**

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Sir:

In the above matter, in response to the Office of Legal Instruments

Examiner's "Notice of Fee Deficiency" of June 26, 2006

(one month reply period), applicants respond as follows:

Total additional fee check \$ 50.00 is enclosed with this Letter for (2) extra claims,  
as requested by the Office, and to avoid abandonment.

However, applicants disagree with the statement, that this fee is due, and request a reconsideration of this matter. Applicants canceled (7) claims in the Amendment of March 24, 2006 and did not add any new claims. Moreover, the Amendment is also Request for Continued Examination, and not a new Patent Application. All claims fees were paid with the original Application.

If it will be found that this fee is not due, then applicants would request refund of \$ 50.00

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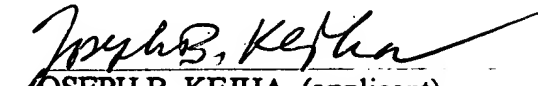
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Applicants believe that this correction places the Application into compliance for the  
Continued Examination, which action is requested and urged.

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## NOTICE OF FEE DEFICIENCY

The informality regarding the payment of the fee is indicated below in connection with

- ☐ the original filing of the application and/or preliminary amendment (e.g. additional claim fees)
- ☒ the reply filed on 3-24-06. The reply is not fully responsive to the prior Office action because of the following matter(s). See 37 CFR 1.111 and 37 CFR 1.135.

## FEE(S) DUE

- ☐ 1. The reply (e.g., amendment) is considered incomplete in that the funds in Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ are insufficient to cover the entire fee due. The balance\* is due within the time period set below.
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- ☒ 3. The reply (e.g., amendment) has not been entered, since applicant has failed to remit (or authorize charge to a Deposit Account or Credit Card) the fee as indicated on the attached Patent Application Fee Determination Record. Remittance or authorization is due within the time period set below.
- ☐ 4. The filing fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ submitted in this application is insufficient.  
A balance of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is due for presentation of excess claims (37 CFR 1.16(b) & (c)).
- ☒ 5. Other.

Explanation (Provide specific details of the required correction in order to assist the applicant. Indicate whether a service charge has been added to the fee due):

Fee for 2 extra claims are due  
which is \$50.APPLICANT IS GIVEN A TIME PERIOD OF **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS NOTICE, WHICHEVER IS LONGER, WITHIN WHICH TO REMIT THE FEE IN ORDER TO AVOID ABANDONMENT. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136.THE INDICATED AMOUNT OF THE FEE(S) DUE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE YEARLY ON OCTOBER 1 (37 CFR 1.16 & 1.21). THE AMOUNT OF THE FEE(S) DUE IS DETERMINED AS OF THE DATE A COMPLETE REPLY IS RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE (37 CFR 1.8 & 1.10). BECAUSE THE AMOUNT DUE IS NOT NECESSARILY THE FEE INDICATED ABOVE, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT APPLICANT CHECK THE CURRENT FEE SCHEDULE WHICH IS POSTED ON THE USPTO'S WEBSITE AT: <http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/ac/qs/ope/fees.htm>**\*Service Charges:** There is a \$50 service charge for processing each payment refused (including a check returned "unpaid") or charged back by a financial institution (37 CFR 1.21(m)). There is a \$25.00 service charge for each month when the balance of a deposit account is below \$1000 at the end of the month (37 CFR 1.21(b)(2)).Crystal E. Quen  
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